

Archery Camp



Howard County
RECREATION & PARKS

**Please note: This document is for informational purposes, but details and schedules may change. Camp letters and forms will be mailed to registrants approximately two weeks prior to the start of camp with the most current information. Click on the blue course and section numbers below to register online for this camp or check if there are any openings.*

Camp Description:

9-12 yrs / 1 week, start dates below / \$110

This is a basic level course intended for kids who are new to the sport and looking for a positive experience with archery. During the camp, archers become proficient in shooting a bow and also receive instruction in archery essentials such as range safety, equipment maintenance, self-analysis and archery etiquette. Additional activities include history of archery, fun shoots (balloon shoots, etc) and a competition on the last day. Bring a non-perishable snack and beverage (no nut products). Schedule is subject to change; camp will be held rain or shine. Fee includes supervision, equipment and activities. For more information, contact Matt Medicus at 410-313-4719.

RP9755.401	Alpha Ridge Park	June 15	8:30-11:30 AM	M-F
RP9755.402	Rockburn Park West	June 22	8:30-11:30 AM	M-F
RP9755.403	Rockburn Park West	June 22	12:30-3:30 PM	M-F
RP9755.404	Rockburn Park West	June 29	8:30-11:30 AM	M-F
RP9755.405	Alpha Ridge Park	June 29	8:30-11:30 AM	M-F
RP9755.406	Rockburn Park West	July 6	8:30-11:30 AM	M-F
RP9755.407	Rockburn Park West	July 6	12:30-3:30 PM	M-F
RP9755.408	Alpha Ridge Park	July 13	8:30-11:30 AM	M-F
RP9755.409	Rockburn Park West	July 27	8:30-11:30 AM	M-F
RP9755.410	Rockburn Park West	July 27	12:30-3:30 PM	M-F

Click on the RP number above for online registration!

What to Bring:

The recommended attire for the camp is a T-shirt, quick drying shorts, socks and athletic shoes. Eat a quality breakfast each morning. Bring a small daypack with a reusable water bottle and a non-perishable snack. Please do not bring any food that contains peanut or nut products (other children may be allergic). In an effort to encourage environmental conservation, we ask that campers take their trash home. **No cell phones or electronics allowed in camp due to the nature of the activities.** The Camp Director will have a camp cell phone available for all emergencies.

Important Forms:

- [Participant Information Form](#) ←click to access form online
You MUST bring this form, completed and signed, with you on the first day of camp. Without this form, we cannot accept your child at camp. Please notify the Camp Director in writing of any allergies or health concerns pertinent to your child's camp experience.
- [Medication Authorization Order Form](#) ←click to access form online
Sending medication to camp is highly discouraged. But, if it is necessary for medication to be administered during the operation of the camp, a Medication

Order Form must be filled out and signed by the parent. **NOTE: This is a new form and procedure for this year!** A separate form is required for each medication. All medications must be in the original container with the medication name, physician's name, dosage and expiration date.

Directions:

Alpha Ridge Park - 11685 Old Frederick Rd/MD Rte 99, Marriottsville, MD 21104

From I-70 Westbound: From I-70 (coming from Rte 29) take Exit 83 onto Marriottsville Road northbound. Proceed 0.9 miles and turn left onto Old Frederick Road (Rte. 99). Proceed 0.5 miles to park on the left.

From I-70 Eastbound: From I-70 take Exit 82 onto eastbound Route 40. At first traffic light turn left onto Marriottsville Road northbound. Proceed 1.5 miles and turn left onto Old Frederick Road (Rte 99). Proceed 0.5 miles to park on the left.

Rockburn Branch Park West – 6109 Rockburn Branch Park Road, Elkridge

From Rte. 29, take Rte. 100 east to MD 103 exit (Meadowridge Rd). Go around the circle and cross over Rte. 100; proceed through next circle. At the first signal light, make a right on Montgomery Road. Proceed to signal light and make a left to remain on Montgomery Road. Travel about a mile; make a left onto Rockburn Branch Park Road and proceed to park. The restored Pfeiffers Corner Schoolhouse will be on your left shortly after entering the park - please park in the lot on the left just beyond the restored schoolhouse. Do not pull into the driveway in front of the schoolhouse.

Inclement Weather:

The camp will meet rain or shine. For severe weather program changes, information will be available one hour prior to the camp start time on the Department's program status line, 410-313-4451; press 4 for camps. The recorded message will reflect any change to the drop off location or time changes for the camp. If the weather is severe, we will arrange for indoor activities. If there is a threat of lightning, we will take cover in a shelter.

Tentative Camp Schedule:

Please note: This schedule is subject to change!

Monday: Orientation / Range Safety and Equipment / Basic archery technique
Tuesday: Review range rules / Archery practice / The greater world of Archery!
Wednesday: Review proper archery form & practice / Archery craft
Thursday: Skills practice and Archery games
Friday: Archery Tournament!

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